

## COLOR CODING OF PLASMA ARC TORCH PARTS AND PART SETS

### ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE

A series of replacement parts for use in a plasma arc torch is provided, wherein the parts have a color indicia and are adapted for use at different operating parameter values. Each part in the series has a color indicia formed on the part with a different color identifying the particular value of the operating parameter at which the part is adapted to operate. In another form, each part in the series is packaged in a package with a different color indicia identifying the particular value of the operating parameter at which the part is adapted to operate. Additionally, methods of packaging, applying the color indicia, selecting a package or part, and specifying a package or part are provided by the present invention.